And the Judge Is Said to Have Tielded to

the Urgent Invitation-Comment of Demo-CHICAGO, Feb. 9.-The Herald this morning prints a despatch from New York which says that Judge Walter Q. Gresham of Chicago is to be Secretary of State in the Cleveland 'd-ministration. "The offer of the post has been made to Judge Gresham and he has accented it. Mr. Cleveland himself will make the fact known in a day or two. The rumor that to Gresham was offered the place was circulated here some time ago, and was received with incredulity by many Democrats. They did not believe it possible that Mr. Cleveland would go outside the ranks of his own party for a Secretary of State, and did not think Judge Gresham would accept even if the tender were made him. But the unexpected has happened, and Judge Gresham will in two weeks resign his seat on the bench and prepare to remove to Washington to take up his duties as Secretary of State. Thus a man who, four years ago, was a candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination is to be Premier under the incoming Democratic Administration.

"Mr. Cleveland's position from the first has been that in the selection of a Secretary of State he did not propose to stand strictly by party limits. He has all along said that he wanted the best men that could be found in the country. He wanted a man strong and learned, of perfect personal and public integrity, and one who held to an unusual degree the confidence of the people. This ideal was more closely filled by Judge Gresham than by any other man Mr. Clevels & could think of. While Mr. Cleveland was in this frame of mind Judge Gresham happened to come to this city. It is not known whether he came by invitation of Mr. Cleveland or not, but it is known that he was called upon by Mr. Whitney at his hotel. and that Mr. Whitney informed Judge Gresham that his name had been under consideration for Secretary of State. Judge Gresham was surprised at this, and said to Mr. Whitney that he could not think it possible he was in earnest. But Mr. Whitney urged the Judge to call on Mr. Cleveland, and within an hour or so an invitation from Mr. Cleveland to the Judge to call at his house was presented by a messenger.

Judge Gresham did call on Mr. Cleveland. and a man who knows something of what took place at that interview said to-day that the call was of two hours' duration, but that he did not believe the matter of the Cabinet was directly mentioned at that time. The two men had never met, and they spent a pleasant two hours discussing the general political situation, and the favorable impression which Mr. Cleveland had already formed of his visitor was confirmed by this interview.

"Shortly afterward Mr. Dickinson made a trip to Chicago and carried Mr. Cleveland's offer. Judge Gresham was ript surprised at it, for, as already said, he had had intimations that Mr. Cleveland might tender him the post. But he had thought the matter over and had concluded to decline. He did decline in most positive terms. It is reported here that his vords were: 'Mr. Cleveland cannot afford to offer me this place and I cannot afford to

Mr. Cleveland then asked Senator Gray of Delaware to take the Secretaryship of State. but Senator Gray, who had just been reflected by his Legislature, declined. Mr. Cleveland then turned again to Judge Gresham, and the astute and secretive Don Dickinson was once more sent on a secret mission to Chicago. Finally Judge Gresham was persuaded to accent. He did so only when the country's great need of his services was pointed out to him. The argument which had the most effect on Judge Gresham was that the new Administration would be brought face to face with some of the most important questions of the age, questions of a delicate and possibly dangerous nature, involving the peace and welfare of the country, and that the new President had almost a right to command the services of any distinguished citizen whom he might think most available for the duty of the hour. With much reluctance Judge Gresham gave his censent, and Mr. Dickinson carried the news back to this city, greatly to his own and Mr. Cleveland's delight."

The Herald this morning has the following Washington special, dated Feb. 8: "Great interest was manifested here to-day in a rumor which came from New York, to the effect that Judge Gresham was to be Sceretary of State under President Cleveland. Don Dickinson, when asked about the rumor, repolled:

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plied; You will have to ask Mr. Cleveland about that. It is his husiness, and not mine. But I feel sure of one thing, and that is if Judge Gresham should go into the Cabinet he would make a strong Minister and help to give the people confidence in the Administration. I knew Judge Gresham very well, and I look upon him as being now as good a Demograt as

people confidence in the Administration. I know Judge Gresham very woil, and I look upon him as being now as good a Democrat as there is in the country. If Mr. Cleveland has succeeded in inducing Judge Gresham to be his Secretary of State, it is a fortunate thing for the party and the country. But you will have to see Mr. Cleveland as to the truth of the rumor.

"In the Senate Chamber, particularly among the immediate friends of Senator Carlisle, the rumor that Judge Gresham was to be Secretary of State became the subject of much discussion. Senator Gorman was one of the prominent Democrats who expressed himself as hopeful that the rumor would prove correct. He said to his associates that there was little politics in the State Department and that what was most needed there was a strong man to assist the President in the management of the foreign affairs rather than a politician. Mr. Gorman said he believed the country and the Democratic party would approve the selection of Judge Gresham if the Judge had indeed accepted the place. Other Democratics senator Gray who is himself understood to have declined the portfolio of State. Senator Gray and that he knew nothing of the matter, except that he had heard the rumor of Mr. Gresham's selection, but he was confident no Detter man could be found for the place. Other Democratic Senators expressed similar opinions.

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"Senator Voorhees, who is a warm personal friend of Judge Gresham, said the appointment, if made, would be received with great enthusiasm among the Democrats of Indiana and the West generally."

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Washinnow, Feb. R.—It is asserted with great resiliveness in Washington to-day that the office of secretary of State has been offered to Judge Walter Q. Gresham by President-elect Cleveland, and that he has accepted it. Although no public man in Washington can be found to verify this statement, it is said to be accurate by those who claim to have received their information direct. Although Judge Gresham lives in Chicago, where he cwas a house, he is a legal resident of Indiana, and cast his vote, heretolore a liepuilican one, there in November last for Cleveland and Stevenson. His selection, of course, ends the ambition of Isaac Pusy Gray for a place in the Cabinet, and the language used by the Indiana Congressmen, in speaking of Judge Gresham's probable appointment, is more forcible than pointe. They do not like the news, and while they profess to disbelieve it, they cannot deny it. Prominent Illinois Democrats in Washington are also bitter in their criticism of Judge Gresham's selection, but all their denunciations are coupled with the qualification that they do not think that the appointment has heen offered him. They are hardly less indignant than the Indianans, although it was long age decided that no illinois man is to go into the Cabinet.

While it was an assy task for-day to find Democrats of prominence who had no knowledge of whether Judge Gresham was Postument of an ore of whether Judge Gresham was Postument of an ore of less important character. His term as Secterary of the Treasury was too short to be marked by any particular feature or policy. He wa

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Lakewood, Feb. R.—Mr. Cleveland refused to discuss to-night the story from Chicago that Judge Walter Q. Gresham had accepted the Secretaryship of State. This portfolio has been offered to Judge Gresham, as The Sun announced a week ago, and he at first fiatly refused to consider the proposition. Since this offer was made, however, Mr. Cleveland has been bringing strong influence to bear on Judge Gresham to persuade him to reconsider the matter and enter the Cabinet.

It is now said that Mr. E. J. Thelps was the man whom Mr. Cleveland wanted for his Secretary of State, but just at this time Mr. Phelps is engaged on the Behring Sea negotiations. Then the Cabinet portfolio was offered to Judge Gresham, who was urged to accept it on the ground that the new Administration would be brought face to face with many questions of importance, questions that involved the peace and welfare of the nation, and that in the opinion of Mr. Cleveland he was the most available man for the place. But according to this story Judge Gresham's term of office was to be limited to such at time as Mr. Phelps might be at liberty to assume charge of the State Department. In other words, Judge Gresham was to begin the work with the understanding that Mr. Phelps was slated to succeed him as soon as he was tree from Berhing Sea negotiations, If this report is true, and it comes from good authority, it may explain Judge Gresham's apparent unwillingness to enter the Cabinet hampered by such restrictions. Don Dickinson, who has acted as Mr. Cleveland's mesenger in these negotiations, is expected in Lakewood later in the week, and some more definite announcement about this portfoliomay be made them.

One thing is certain, and that is that Mr. Cleveland is at present very much worried about the difficulties that he is meeting in illing out his Cabinet shate. The report that was provoked when his name was first mentioned, and the opinions on it are contradictory, according as the men who express them b

Mithin party hintes as not returned to Lake-Mr. Isidor Straus has not returned to Lake-wood, and it is said that he has not given a definite answer to Mr. Cleveland's offer of the Postmaster-Generalship, John Cadwallader of Philadelphia, who came to talk with Mr. Cleve-land last night, left for New York this fore-recon.

noon.

THE SUN, on Jan. 27, announced that Mr. Cleveland had been in communication with Judge Gresham concerning an appointment to the Cabinet, and that Mr. Cleveland was then awaiting Judge Gresham's reply.

In substantiation of the news from Chicago concerning Judge Gresham, those close to Mr. Cleveland in New York admitted yesterday that the portfolio of Secretary of State had been offered to the Judge, and that there was reason to believe that he would accept. This would make the Cabinet up to date stand:

Secretary of State—Walter Q. Gresham of Indiana.
Secretary of the Transp—John G. Carlisle of Kenincky.
Secretary of War—Daniel S. Lamont of New York.

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It is known that Mr. Cleveland has selected his Postmaster-General, but neither he nor any of his friends will give the name. Some of them say the place has been given to a Western man. Ex-tiov. Isnae Pusey Gray and his Indiana friends have insisted that the portfollo was promised by Mr. Cleveland personally to ex-Gov. Gray. In refutation of this, one of Mr. Cleveland's advisers said yesterday:

"Who ever heard of Mr. Cleveland promising anything?" But in any svent should the news concerning Judge Grosham turr out to be correct, it is not probable that Mr. Cleveland would give the Hoosier State two places in the Cabinet.

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The gossip concerning the place was all to the effect that it would go to either Gov. Boies of Iowa or E. C. Wall or Edward F. Knight of Wisconsin, or ex-Gov. Almon B. Morse of Michigan. The name mentioned more frequently than any other for Secretary of the Navy is Hillary A. Herbert of Alabama, Chairman of the House Committee on Naval Affairs. The reports to the effect that Henry Villard, or a friend of his selection, is to be Secretary of the Interior, are revived. Mr. Cleveland's closest advisers at present, especially on financial matters, are Mr. Villard, Horace White, Carl Schurz, and James T. Woodward, President of the Hanover Bank.

It may be put down as a fact that Gen. Patrick A. Collins is to succeed John C. New as Consul-General in London.

TO CRUSH M'ALEER.

Object of the Democratic Reapportionme HARRISBURG, Feb. 9.-A deal was revealed to day in an inspection of a Congressional apportionment bill introduced in behalf of the Democratic members of the Legislature by Senator Meek of Bellefonts. Their desire is to destroy the anti-Administration Democratic district of Congressman McAleer in Philadelphia, and in return they ask the Republicans to consent to a gerrymander which will sacriflee Congressman Hopkins's district consist. ing of Potter, Tioga, Clinton, and Lycoming counties. Pennsylvania is divided into twentyeight districts, but is entitled to thirty Congressmen.

The Democrats consent to give one more to Philadelphia and one to Pittsburgh. Most of the gain in population is in these cities. This would give Philadelphia six districts instead of five, one of which is now represented by William McAleer, who succeeded the late Samuel J. Randall, and was rediected on an independent ticket last November by a large majority over the regular Democratic nomines. This victory has only added to the distike shown by the friends of the Harrity Administration toward Mr. McAleer, and they have therefore determined to redistrict imiladelphia so that a liepublican will succeed him, provided their opponents will give up some Republican Congress district up the State. This is clearly shown by the provisions of the bill introduced to day, which Senators Ross, Meek, Herring, and other Democratic leaders declared would be supported by their party. The Republican district chosen for sacrifice seems to be the most available one. According to the proposed bill the countles of Clinton and Lycoming seet to be taken from Mr. Hopkins's district and united with Union and Sullivan counties, which are to be detached from the Seventeenth and Eighteenth districts. This combination is safely Democratic by a good majority. The remainder of the present district, comprising the Republican counties of Potter and Tioza, is to be joined with Mc-Keen, Forrest, Cameron, and Warren in the Republican district known as the Twenty-seventh.

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In support of the bill the Democrats urge that it contains many concessions to their opponents. They say that the new apportionment would give an average population of 178,082 in Democratic districts, and Republicans would have a Congressman for an average oppulation of 174,507. It gives the lie-publicans 18 and the Democrats 12. The bill goes to the Committee on Congressional Apportionments, of which Senator Meredith is Chairman.

Kansas's Two Houses.

TOPERA, Feb. 9.-The Populists have not yet passed the Legislative Appropriation bill, and it is now believed they will defer final action on the measure until the closing days of the session rather than afford their opponents the opportunity to test its logality in the Supreme

The Republicans are unable to secure pay for their services while the present blockade exists, but they are being helped by private exists, but they are being helped by private contributions in the nature of a loan from the several county Central Committees throughout the State. The Republican House to-day unseated two Populist members who were Postmasters at the time the Legislature convened, and a resolution was adopted declaring the seats of all of the Populist members vacant unless such members recognize the Republican organization by Feb. 21.

Speaker Douglas also ordered his Sergeantal-Arms to open certain committee rooms which the Populists have closed, and to use whatever force may be necessary to secure their use for the Republican committees.

Camden's Colored Murderer Convicted.

CAMDEN, Feb. 9. - Presecutor Jenkins closed the case against John Hill, the colored man. charged with the murder of Joseph Dodson, this morning, and the case was given to the this morning, and the case was given to me jury. After a short deliberation they returned to court with the yerdict of murder in the first degree, and Hill was remanded to the county juil to await sentence.

Two colored men, proprietors of a dance hall, who, it is alleged, raid Hill to commit the murder, will be placed on trial as acces-sories.

Sentence of Seven Hallot Stuffers Expires. The term of sentence of seven of the Jersey City ballot-box stuffers in the Snake Hill penitentiary expires this morning, and the

mon will be released. They are James Sam-mons, William Howe, John Walsh, Michael Fallon, Charles Nugent, Thomas Gorman, and Michael Kelly. Each was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, which is the lightest sentence imposed, and their cases were not considered by the Board of Pardons.

Objected to Card Playing and Smoking,

The trouble between the trustees of the Eastern District Homopopathic Hospital in Williamsburgh and the suspended members of the visiting staff has been settled by the re-instatement of Dr. Herbert F. Knapp and Dr George W. Bulmer. The strained relations instatement of Dr. Herbert F. Knapp and Dr. Herbert F. Knapp and Dr. George W. Bulmer. The strained relations were caused by the trustees objecting to the visiting staff smoking and playing cards in the hospital.

World's Fair Special of the New York Central-poplar train for Chicago and the West - 4ds.

WORKING GIRLS WHO CAN SING. Concert by the Choral Union of the Working

The concert of the Choral Union of the New York Working Girls' Societies in Cooper Union last night was a success. Upon the stage sat a hundred girls in beautiful white dresses who sang like larks, and, during the intermissions, conversed like sparrows.

In the audience were over 2,000 women most of them young, all of them bright-looking. They listened indulgently while Ida Klein sang and Mr. E. A. Lefebre played the saxo-phone, and they went into raptures when Katie and Annie and Lillie and Bessle and all their other friends arose to sing "Come Follow

This concert was the result of seven months drill. In the beginning very few of the gir's had any knowledge of music, but the way they sang and warbled and chanted their fugue last night, and the precision in the high notes, were perfectly marvellous. Of course, their

were perfectly marvellous. Of course, their voices had a girlish ring, but that only added a charm to the effect.

These girls busted themselves so continually with the smoothing of their dresses and the caressing of their hair that it was plain to see that it was their first public appearance. When the conductor gave the signal to rise the rustle that accompanied this movement lasted nearly a minute. y a minute. The audience always encored the singing of

The audience always encored the singing of the chorus. Once, when the girls were not quick to respend, the applause settled down into that steady beat of "Four! Four years more!" And, shocking though it is to tell, many of the girls in the audience tapped the floor with their feet, in time to this applause.
After the concert Miss Grace H. Dodge asked

those of the audience who intended to wait for the singers to move to the rear of the hall, as the girls were going to have their picture taken in a group by flashlight. Then followed

taken in a group by flashlight. Then followed an anusing scene.

The first row of girls seated themselves, the second row stood behind the first row, and the third stood on chairs behind the second.

There was a great deal of confusion and bustle before the group was finally arranged, and then, upon the discovery that one of the girls was hidden behind another, there was an exclamation of protest and the group nearly broke up. It was finally rearranged, and then the conductor. Mr. G. Viehl, posed in front of the group.

"That won't do," said the photographer.

"You're hiding some of the young ladies."

There was a general craning of neeks at this, which nearly upset the group ragain.

"Some of you ladies will have to make room for this gentleman," declared the photographer.

"Here" and "Here's a place" and "Sit by

for this gentleman," declared the photographer.

"Here!" and "Here's a place!" and "Sit by me;" came from every direction (the conductor is good looking), until the spectators laughed, and all the sitters joined in. Finally everything was in order, save that the girls on the platform were chattering at a frightful rate.

"Now, ladies, attention!" said the photographer. Every facel assumed a serious expression. "One-two-three;" cried the photographer, and "bang!" two heaps of magnesium light were ignited. The flash of the light and the sudden bang were so startling that every girl on the platform screamed "Oh!" and hid her face in her hands. How the picture will come out the photographer could not tell—but he looked stern.

G. J. BELDEN FINED.

His Aged Mother's Nurse Accused Him of

Clarence J. Pelden, 32 years old, who lives with his wife and his aged mother at 62 West 125th street, was a prisoner in the Harlem Police Court resterday, charged with disorderly conduct. The accused is the son of William H. Belden, who died in 1881, leaving an estate of \$200,000 to be divided among six children. One of these heirs is Mrs. Ketchum. wife of Congressman John H. Ketchum. Belden's counsel, ex-Assemblyman Van Cott, announced that the complaint was simply an attempt to shut his client up in a prison, or an inebriate asylum. The prosecution did not deny this.

The complaint was made by Rachel F. Howells, a nurse. On Jan. 11 she was hired to take care of Belden's mother, who is 75 years ells, a nurse. On Jan. 11 she was hired to take care of Belden's mother, who is 75 years oid. Mrs. Howells was assigned to a room in the rear of the flat. It adjoined Mr. and Mrs. Belden's, and the key of it usually hung in their room. On the night of Jan. 14, Mr. Belden's, and the key of it usually hung in their room. On the night of Jan. 14, Mr. Belden went to his room in time to see Mrs. Howells reach through the deorway, takedown the key, and lock the door. Belden was much annoyed at being locked in his own room, and swore at Mrs. Howells. Becoming alarmed she ran into the hallway and down to the street. Belden followed, but seeing a crowd beginning to congregate he abandoned the chase.

On Jan. 27 Mrs. Howells concluded to complain about Belden's conduct. The case was called in court the next day, but the prisoner's mother fell on her way to court and broke her thigh. The examination was held yesterday, although the elder Mrs. Belden is still in the Presbyterian Hospital. The prisoner's wife was in court, and so was his sister. Mrs. Ketchum. Neither woman had a chance to testify for the accused, but privately Belden's wife did not hesitate to say that Mrs. Ketchum was anxious to have Belden locked up.

Mrs. Howells's interests were looked after by ex-Police Justice Killreth. He offered to introduce evidence that Belden was an habitual drunkard, but it was not admitted. Justice Simms fined the accused \$10.

The prisoner's wife said that the whole affair was a conspiracy on the part of Mrs. Ketchum to get rid of her husband for the sake of a little money that would come to him from the estate. Fight months ago the prisoner's brother William was sent to an inchriate asylum in Middletown on complaint of Congressman Ketchum's son.

MORE HYDRANTS NEEDED.

Is the Brooklyn Fire Department's Reputed Mesars, Orr. Bartlett, and Jenkins, the com-

mission investigating the Brooklyn Fire Department, continued their labors yesterday. Fire Commissioner Ennis, who was reflected, suggested a large increase in the number of hydrants. There are at present 4,700 hydrants. and 2,000 more are urgently required. Chief Engineer Nevins was the next witness.

and his stalwart appearance indicated that the suggestion of the insurance men, that it was time he should be pensioned off, is not likely to be acted upon in the near future. He referred in his testimony to some recent big fires at which he noticed the inadequacy of the water supply, arising in some cases from the mains being too small and in others from the fact that some of the hydrants were frozen. In the chief's opinion, the Fira Department should have entire control of the hydrants instead of the City Works Department, and 2,500 new hydrants should be eracted. Some of the water mains should also be increased in size. Mr. Nevins considered himself entirely fitted in a physical round of view to continue at the head of the department for some time to come, and in answer to the charge that he had been absent from time to time on prolonged fries to his Florida plantation and on his yacht, said that the entire period of such absences last year was just hitty-one days.

The investigation will be resumed to-morrow. time he should be pensioned off, is not likely

Mr. Walworth and Mr. Munson. Mr. James F. Munson's criticism of the obituary notice of Mr. C. A. Walworth, puplished n THE SUN on Tuesday, has prompted Mr. Walworth's friends to come forward. Mr.

Munson said in his letter: My Phonographic News has not been published for ten years past, and Mr. Walworth was not associated with me in perfecting my system and in getting up the Complete Phonographer. I had never heard of him at til at least three years after it was published. When I revised it, in 1877, he compiled the reading and writing exercises for one from material that I formshed him, and that was the extent of his "associate authorship,"

Mr. Walworth has copies of the Phonographi Mr. Walworth has copies of the Phonographic News of eight years ago, in which the names of Mr. Munson and Mr. Walworth appear side by side as editors. In a copy of the "complete Phonographer," published in 1898, Mrs. Walworth preserves, easted in, a letter from Mr. Munson to Mr. Walworth dated March 17, 1833, Mrs. Walworth dated March 17, 1833, Mrs. Walworth also has a legal paper, dated May 8, 1875, by which Mr. Munson assigns to Mr. Walworth also hird of his interest in the "Complete Phonographer" in consideration of \$1,000 paid by Mr. Walworth on Oct. 8, 1873. In the preface to the revised "Complete Phonographer," published in 1877, Mr. Munson says:

The author wabes to acknowledge his great indebtechess to Mr. U.A. Walworth for suggestions and assistance during the preparations of these revisions.

"The new grading excrises and lessons are the result of his individual labors.

Execution of a Negro Murderer.

SUFFOLE, Va., Feb. Q.-John R. Royster, th. negro who murdered John P. Eppes on July 20, 1831, was hanged in the county jail rard to-day. When Sheriff Baker gave him an op-portunity to say anything he might desire he was too frightened to make any connected statement. He died almost without a struggle.

The Modern Invalid lias tastes medicinally, in keeping with other luxuries a remedy must be pleasantly acceptable in form, pur ly wholesome in composition, truly beneficial in effect and entirely free from every objectionable quality, really ill be consults a physician; if constipated a uses the gentle family laxative, Syrup of Figs.—4cs. THE ALBANY LEGISLATURE

GOF, FLOWER'S PURCHASE OF FIRE

The Bill to Legalize His Action and Reim burse Him for the \$50,000 He Advanced Favorably Reported to the Assembly—The Driveway Bill Reported in the Senute, ALBANY, Feb. Q - A rumor was circulated this

morning that the Brooklyn members of the Legislature would oppose the bill to reimburse Gov. Flower for his purchase of Fire Island in return for the Governor's veto of the bill to legalize the expenditures made by Brooklyn officials for the Columbus celebration. The bill was in the Committee on Ways and Means of the Assembly. As soon as the rumor got to Col. Quigley. Chairman of the committee, he at once had the bill reported. He said that there was no vindictive feeling on the part of the Kings county members, and that they were entirely willing to vote to legalize the action of the Governor at a time of great excitement and public necessity without authority of law. The bill was reported with amendments, so that the State can sell Fire Island at any time for any amount it can get. The purchase price was \$210,000, but there was testimony before the committee that the property was not worth over \$100,000. Col. Quigley proposed that Fire Island should be returned to its former owner, Mr. Sammis, and that the State should make a compromise with him on the price. No action has been taken to make a quarantine station of Fire Island, but only to ratify and complete its purchase.
The rate of interest on the \$50,000 advanced

by the Governor was changed, at his request, from six to five per cent. In this shape the bill was placed in the order of second reading, and it presently came up on the calender in its regular order. There is little doubt of its regular order. There is little doubt of its passage. The only opposition is from people living in Sunoik county, who will be satished if the State sells the Island. There is no criticism on the part of any one of the Governor's action, as it was considered only human mature that Mr. Sammis should get all the money he could for his property.

Mayor Sanford of Long Island City, who succeeds the Hon, P. J. Gleason, paid a visit to Albany yesterday, and the result was the introduction and passage this morning of a bill to reorganize the Fire Department of Long Island City, which is a tileason stronghold.

The Senate reported the Cantor bill to exclude trucks and business wagens from Fifth avenue in the afternoon. The Drivway bill as favored by Mayor Gifroy, with the route laid out along the Harlem River, was also favorably reported in the Senate.

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Senator Punkitt-For the appropriation of \$125,000 for the completion of the Metropolitan Mineaum a senator Punkitt-To authorize the New York city Book Repartment to issue additional bonds for purchase money and property damages, besides the present allowance of \$3,000,000 a year.

Mr. Alexy-Nineteen Island Passing bills prepared by the Nate Committee the Account of the State Committee the Account of the State Committee the

Mr. Robinson—To require the payment of a percent age to Long island tity for the use of its streets. Ar. Avey—To perruit savings tanks to invest to bonds of municipalities outside of the state. Mr. Keilly—To require foreign insurance companies to inske increased deposits with the Superintendent of

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Assemblyman Ransom of Ningara, who in-Assemblyman itansom of sugara, who introduced the bill, was the only speaker for it. He said he was from a country district, ife read letters from a St. Lawrence county voter who favored the bill, and from an Oswego county voter who said that 10 per cent, of the vote in his district was spurious, and that it was the same in all border counties. He armed that statistics show that in cities there is not vote registered to every five inhabigued that statistics show that in cities there is one vote registered to every five inhabitants; in the country there is one to every three and a half of the inhabitants. In the cities the vote is about 30 per cent, of the registration; in the country 40 to 75 per cent. In a padded register there is always a chance for fraud. Personal registration would give greater certainty to estimates of political parties, cheapen committee work, and lessen chances for fraud. It would be sent the lessen that the committee work, and lessen chances for fraud. It would lossen the labor of getting out the vote, and would aid in preventing the placing of names illegally on lists for fraudulent purposes in the counties on the border line of the state.

The Farquhar blanket ballot bill was slightly amended by the committee and ordered to be printed before a further hearing.

New Corporations. ALBANY, Feb. ft.-These companies were in-

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Consolidated Wall Paper Company of New York cityto manufacture and sell wall papers, glue, Ac. Capi
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Hronklyn Land and improvement Company of Brooklyn, Capital, \$20,000. Directors: N. A. Bundy, Philadephia, F. Howe and W. J. Wheeler, Reconstruct
Curtis, Addison, and J. A. Cass, Swarthmore, Pa.

MR. DONOVAN CAN'T BE FOUND

and the Women Doctors Who Attended Miss Manzone Are Committed Without Ball, Dr. Sara B. Chase and Dr. Frederique Dimire he women who are accused of having performed criminal operations on Margare Manzone, were again arraigned at Jefferson

Market Court yesterday morning. A certifi-cate from Coroner Schultze, stating that the girl was not yet out of danger, was presented. Justice Koch thereupon recommitted the prisoners without ball. Florence F. Donovan, an ex-member of the State Board of Arbitration, whom Miss Manstate Board of Arbitration, whom Miss Man-zone accuses of being responsible for her trouble, has not yet been caught. His taggage is still in Allany, where he was last seen, but he boarded a tri in for the West on seeing the newspaper reports of the girl's condition. The Chief of Police in Albany, who received a tele-gram from this city calling upon hir to arrest Donovan, helieves that he has gone to Canada. It is said that he was engaged to be married to the girl.

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Airs. Biggart, wife of Deputy United States Sarsial James Biggart, and mother of Miss Manzone, is with her daughter at Mrs. C. Lane's flat, 251 West Thirty-ninth street. Mrs. Eiggart's first husband, the father of Miss Manzone, was a Spaniard named Joseph Manzone, Since her second marriage Mrs. Biggart has been living at 255 Myrtle avenue, Brooklya, and her daughter lived there with her and Mr. biggart.

In court yest-raday Dr. Chase, while relicent about the charges against her, seemed willing to talk about her previous record. She was the wife of Henry T. Chase of Cleveland, a stoneoutter, from whom she was diverced. After her diverce she came to this city, where she was arrested on complaint of Anthony Comstock for selling unlawful surgleal instruments. The case against her was dropned. Later, however, she was indicted by the Grand Jury on charges of a similar nature, but the cases never capie to trial. For a time she gave lectures, to women only, in different parts of the country. It is said that she has at various times teen known under the allases of Dr. Sam H. Preston and Dr. Sam Lynch.

It was reported late last night that Miss Manzone was in a very critical condition, and was expected to die at any moment.

The doctor in attendance on her said at midnight that it was doubtful if she would live until daylight.

A Commitment by a Brooklyn Judge Signed

Thomas Laird, who was recently sentenced to six months' imprisonment as a vagrant by Police Justice Tighe of Brooklyn, was released yesterday by Judge Clement of the City Court.

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Affidavits were presented showing that the
aileged vagrant had a home and could support himself, but under any circumstances ho
would probably have been discharged, as the
commitment was signed with a stamp signature. Judged lement said:

"I do not see how a man can be sent to jail
on a commitment bearing such a signature.
I don't think it is legal on summary convictions, and I don't think the magistrates have
work enough to do to prevent their signing
their names instead of using a stamp."

LODGING HOUSE KEEPERS UNITE. They Will Keep a Watch on Each Other

The United Hotel and Lodging House Pro prictors' Protective Association completed its organization resterday at a meeting held at Metropolitan Hall, East Broadway and Catharine street. The association represents more then fifty lodging houses, containing 10,000

beds.

J. W. Turner of Timberman & Turner said that the organization was brought about for self-protection. The recent outbrenk of ty-

phus had given a bad name to lodging houses, and the association proposed to separate the sheep from the goats and put the clame where it belongs.

A constitution and by-laws were adopted, in which it was set forth that the objects were better acquaintance among the belging house keepers, protection from unust legislation, to guard against frauds and dishonest employees and excessive reats, and to affect the best possible accommodations for the money to workingmen. No lodging house keeper is eligible to me wheship who does not charge as much as \$1 a week for lodging. He shall pay \$10 as initiation Ice and dues of one cent a menth for each bed in his house or houses. N. H. Hadley, who has lodging houses containing a total of L.35 beds, arves and sald:

"If every man here will have to pay as much as I, the organization will have a considerable revenue. I won't object. We will find before another year is gone that this association will need money." Asked to specify what the money would be needed for, Mr. Hadley said that he did not know, but emergencies would arise.

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These officers were elected: Hart Curry of 72 Howery, President; A. Del didnovas of 354 and 329 Howery, Vice-President; Edward J. Flamagan of 284 Howery, Secretary; J. W. Turner of 3 Delancey street and 49 and 42 Howery, Treasurer; W. B. Timberman, S. H. Hadoy, A. E. Pratt, S. Magliola, G. H. Devine, J. Carroll, and H. Curry, Executive Committee, A provision of the by-laws is that the Executive Committee shall have the houses of all members inspected. If they do not come up to proper sanitary requirements the Board of Health is to be notified and if the member does not put his house in good condition he will be dropped from the association.

President Porter of the Board of Charitles and Correction repiled yesterday to Mayor Gilrov's request for a report as to what had been done toward carrying out the law passed in 1889 providing for the establishment of municipal lodging houses. Commissioner Porter said that in 1888 and 1889 the Department of Charitles had asked for an appropriation of \$25,000 to carry out the trovisions of the act, but the Hourd of Apportionment had not granted the request.

The department was also unable to find quarters for the lodging houses "except at a much larger cost than it deemed wise for a much larger cost than it deemed wise for an undertaking which seemed to be little more than experiment." Since then the department had not felt warranted in asking for an appropriation as it is "opposed to the city's assuming the expenditure necessary for the inauguration of a scheme which it thinks should be assumed by private enterprise and charity." President Porter work on to say that persons admitted to station house lodgers make a confession of destitution and can be committed by a police Justice to the care of the Commissioners.

President Porter thinks such a disposition of station house lodgers would reduce their number to almost nothing.

Four New Cases of Typhus.

The condition of Father Gerard Spielmann. who is lying ill of typhus fever at the rectory of St. Anselm's Church, remained unchanged

The crisis is approaching, and the physicians The crisis is approaching, and the physicians believe that if they can keep up the patient's strength for two days he will recover. These new cases were reported yesterday: Dorn, Adam, 45: taken from the German Hospital; had signt at 317 Howery. ed siept at 317 Howery. Stevens, Thomas, 51; removed from 317 Bowery on the 7 for observation. Thompson, John. 35; of Bellevne; lived at 34 Bayard

ng, Adam, 63; taxen from Bellevus Hospital. This death was reported from North Brother Island:

Duane, John J. 89; removed from Charity Hospital

DIME MUSEUM HYPNOTISM.

Bob Kreamer's Latest Experiment in the Soul-absorbing Study, "I tell ye how it was," said Bob Kreamer, "Ye know I'm an electrician, an' hypnotism's in my line. Of course that's all it is, ye know-electricity. Well, it's a soul-absorbing study, an' I took lessons of Prof. Johnson. Yo know Johnson. He's in a dime museum, Well. I've been studying with Johnson, an' this fellow Esmond is one of Johnson's subjects. He's an easy one, an' I asked Johnson to lend him to me, so as I could make experiments myself. Well, I give him the treatment. He was settin' in a chair, an' I pressed the proper nerve centres, an' run my hand down over his face quick-like, like the Professor said. But I couldn't do anything for two or three trials. on the fourth trial 1 got him, an his head fell back. Ye see, my lower was too much that time, an' I had him gone too far.

"Weil, I made a grab for his ears an' snapped my lingers, but it was no go, Why for his ears? Why, right back of them, we see, is the nerve centre. Ye tress in right back of the ears, low down, an' ye catch the nerves, all of 'em. Well, i' git back i' the story, I was scared. I stuck bins an' needles into him, but he delin't show a sign. Then I pulled up his eyelids like

stack pins an 'needles into him, but he didn't show a sign. Then I pulled up his eveilds like the Professor an' biew in his eyes. No go, It went on for about ten minutes an' his hands began to get cold. Then I was scared, an' I hustled a fellow out after a doctor. The doctor came an' said it was hysteria, an' he prossed down on the breast bone. That wasn't any go, an' I telephoned for the Professor, which he told me to do if I got in any trouble. The fellow was gittin' worse an' worse all the time, an' I was scared. But then I don't see any use of making any fuss about it. Ho's all right now."

"Well, what did the Professor de?"

"What did he do? Why, he just catched him behind the ears an' give 'em a snap an' then he catched him by the cyclids an' blowed his breath in 'em, just like he told me to do, an' then he ketched him by the coat an' give him a shake, an' said. 'Here, you, wake up,' an' he woke up."

"Was that all?"

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"Woll, Esmond says, "Where am 12' Ye see, he was I damaged any an' that's all there is to tell. Hyrnotism, I tell ye, is a soul-absorbing study."

Kreamer lives at 225 East Eighty-fourth street, and is in business at 1,233 Lexington avenue. Esmond lives in Cherry street. He makes a business of being a "hypnotist's" subject.

PLAINFIELD'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

A Proposition Regarding It that Resembles the Paribantt Plan.

PLAINFIELD, Feb. 9.-Plainfield maintains. besides the public schools, a Catholic parochial school, conducted by l'ather Smyth. This school was established about five years ago by direction of the Bishop, and has been maintained ever since at the expense of the parishoners in addition to their support of the public schools.

When the parechial school was established every Catholic was directed to send his child to it, upon rain of excommunication and re-fusal of burial in consecrated ground after death in case the order was disobeyed. Many of the Catholies of this city accoded to the order, but a few refused.

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When the Pope, through Mgr. Satolli, issued the decree abolishing excommunication, many children were withdrawn from the parcehial school, and it is now proposed to distribute the Catholic children among the public schools and relice the overcrowding of the public schools which would result by occupying the Catholic school building as a public school.

It is thought that the great majority of both Catholics and Professants will favor this sten. It would lighten the burden upon every one. The increased number of children attending the schools would entitle Flamfield to an increase in the State appropriation, and the Catholics would be relieved of the burden of supporting their school.

Chi Pat Prateralty Regules

Forty graduate members of the Chi Psl Fraternity dined last night at the Hotel de Logerot at Pifth avenue and Eighteenth street. business meeting preceded the dinner, and it was de ided to open a club house in Chicago during the World's Pair for the members of during the World's Fair for the members of the fraternity who might go there. Eltridgo T. Gerry was elected President of the New York Graduate Association, and Osgood Smith was chosen Secretary and Treasurer. Among the Vice-Presidents elected were Judge Robert Earl, W. W. Cay, Samuel F. Llagden, Frederick B. Tappan, Frances Sect. Pavid R. Cay, 4r. Speeches were made by Samuel F. Blagden, In Speeches were made by Samuel F. Blagden, De Frees Yan Vlist, W. J. Youngs, G. M. Edwards, and W. T. Meredith, Eltridge T. Gerry presided. Letters of regret were read from Chief Justice Fuller and ex-Speaker Reed.

The Rev. Dr. James Wiethrop Hegeman. who for a long time was associate paster of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church, was ordained restorday morning a deacon in the Episcopal Church. The ceremony was per-formed in Grace Church by Bishop Potter, as-sisted by the Rev. Dr. Huntington and the Bev. Charles C. Tiffany.

IN THE WORLD OF FASHION.

Last of the Assembly Balls-A Concert to be

Given at the Botel Waldorf. The important event in society last night was the second and last of the Assembly balls, which was held in the Assembly rooms in the Madison Square Garden. The ball was brilliant in point of costumes, but was not so largely attended as the first of the season. The decoration of the ball room was simple. No flowers were used, even on the stage where Lander's musicians were half hidden behind tall green plants. Dancing was not be gun until long past 11 o'clock.

The guests were received by Mrs. Hamilton Fish Webster, Mrs. Paul Dana, Mrs. James Abererombie Burden, and Mrs. S. Van Rens solar Cruger. Supper was served at a quarter to 1 o'clock in the restaurant, and at 2 o'clock the cotillon was danced. Mr. Alexander M. Hadden leading with Mrs. H. I. Webster. There were no favors.
Some of the strangers present were: Mrs. Nicholas Peach and Miss Beach of Hartford: Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Sears. Mr. Seth Sprague, and Miss Hunneweil of Boston; Mr. Bichard Parsons of Cleveland: Mrs. John V. L. Fruyn and Miss Hunneweil of Boston; Mr. Michard Parsons of Cleveland: Mrs. John V. L. Fruyn and Miss Hunneweil of Boston; Mr. Mr. M. C. Armstrong of Hampton, Va.; Mr. M. Horpin of New Haven; Miss Clara Smith of Philadelphia; Mr. J. J. Harrison, Mr. Mr. Martin Archer Shea, Mr. Godfrey Hand, and Miss Frauncefote, daughter of the British Minister, of England: Mrs. Ira Whitelead, and Miss Elizabeth C. Whitehead of Newark, Mr. William Emmet, the Misses Immet, and Miss Jeanmette Hoyt of New Hoelhelle, Miss Maude Howard of San Francisco, Mr. J. Granch of Nashville, and M. C. Boissevain of Holland. The Jancers numbered nearly 300, there being quite 250 m the cotilion.

An entertainment which will be one of the brilliant social events of the spring season will take place in the new Hotel Waldorf, Fitth avenue and Thirty-third street, on Tuesday, March 14, when a concert will be given in aid of St. Mary's Free Hospital for Children. The entertainment is being arranged by Mrs. Richard Irvin. The best musicians obtainable will be heard at the concert, which will be held in the grand as non-facing Fifth avenue. A supper will follow the concert, which will to held in the grand as non-facing Fifth avenue. A supper will follow the concert, which will to held in the grand as non-facing Fifth avenue. A supper will follow the concert, and the hotel, from cellar to garret, will be open for inspection.

Among the ladies interested in the charity are Mrs. John Jacob Astor. Mrs. F. Le Roy Satterice, Mrs. John Jacob Astor. Mrs. F. Le Roy Satterice, Mrs. John Jacob Astor. Mrs. F. Le Roy Satterice. Mrs. John Jacob Astor. Mrs. F. Le R selaer Cruger. Supper was served at a quarter to 1 o'clock in the restaurant, and at 2

Bacot-Stocking. ORANGE, Feb. O. - Miss Julia Holcomb Stock-

ing and Richard Wainwright Bacot were married in Christ Church, East Orange, this even Charles H. W. Stocking of the Holy Innocents Church, St. Cloud. In the chancel were the Rev. Dr. Thomas Richey of the General Theological Seminary, the Rev. Dr. Horace S. Bishop, the Rev. F. B. Reayor, the Rev. William G. Farrington, and the Rev. Alexander Mann of Farrington, and the Rev. Alexander Mann of this city. The bride wore a gown of rich white corded silk, with beytha and trimmings of point applique lace, round corsage, on train, and full tulle veil caught up with orange blossoms. Her bouquet was composed of liles of the valley. The maid of honor, Miss Grace Stocking, sister of the bride, was gowned in white dotted Swiss mull over cream white silk, with demi-train, round corsage, full chow puff sleeves, and trimmed with duchesse lace and cream-tinted moiro ribbons. She carried a bunch of hyacinths. The bridesmaids were Miss Helen Stocking, also sister of the bride; Miss Minnie Mondell, Miss Mary Colburn, and Lizzle Whitney, all of Detroit. Their bouquets were of Marguerites, and they were attired like the maid of honor. The best man was William Bacot, brother of the bridegroom, and the ushers were J. Harper Skillen, T. Bird Dixey, A. C. Simmonds, and I. C. Ogden. A reception at the home of the bride's parents, in Wheeler street, West Orange, followed the ceremony.

Miss Julia Herrick Allen, the daughter of Mr. Elisha H. Allen, was married to Mr. Wilbur Chapman Fiske, a son of the late Harvey Fiske, a prominent banker of this city, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, in St. Bartholomew's Church, corner of Madison avenue and Forty-fifth street. The bride, who was given away by her father, were a gown of white cordaway by her father, wore a gown of white corded silk and point lace, and a veil of white tulle eaught up with a sprig of orange blossoms and a crescent of diamonds, the latter a present from the bridegroom. The flow Dr. David H. Greer, the rector of the church, performed the ceremony. Miss Carrie Allen, the young sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. The four brides maids were Miss Ella Day, Miss Alice Taintor, and the two sisters of the bridegroom, Miss May and Miss Bortha Fiske.

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Mr. Samuel Thurber acted as best man. The ushers, wearing gold and pearl sourlein, presents from the bridegroom, were: Mr. Frank Henry, the two brothers of the bridegroom, Mr. William F. Allen, Jr., Mr. E. H. Allen, Mr. J. Robinson, Mr. E. H. Colburn, and Mr. J. Hudnut. The reception which followed at the home of the brides parents, 122 West Eighty-second street, was attended by nearly light bersons.

McHonnell-Cook ROCHESTER, Feb. 9.-Miss Frederica Louise Cook, only daughter of ex-Secretary of State and Mrs. Frederick Cook, and Augustus M. McDonnell of this city were married at 6 o'clock this evening at the home of the bride. in East avenue, in the presence of about 150 of the intimate friends and relatives of the families of the bride and groom. The ceremony was performed in the main hall of the house by Bishop McQuaid, assisted by Mgr. De Regge, Chancellor of the diocess of Rochester. The bride was attended by the maid of honor, Miss Flora McDonnell, sister of the groom. The bridesmalds were Miss Mary McDonnell, sister of the groom: Miss Isrnics Perkins, Miss Cecilo Macy, and Miss Mary Mutchier. The best man was John II. Brewster. After the ceremony the bridai party and guests were driven to the hall of the Powers Act Gallery, where a collation was served. Afterward there was a general reception, which was attended by all the society people of the city, besides many from out of town. Mr. and Mrs. McDonnell left this evening for the Fast on a wedding tour. They will reside in this city. house by Bishop McQuaid, assisted by Mgr.

In the Church of the Heavenly Rest, on Fifth avenue, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Miss Isabel Mary Clark, the eldest daughter of the late George Clark, and granddaughter of the late ex-Mayor Westervelt of this city, was married to Dr. Irwin Howeli Hance. The Rev. Dr. D. Parker Morgan, the rector, officiated. Miss Clark, who was given away by her uncle, Mr. Daniel D. Westervelt, wore a gown of white satin and point lace and a veil of white silk tulle. She wore some beautiful jewels, including a rendant formed of ful pewels, including a pendant formed of diamonds and pearls, the gems being presents from Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Westervelt. The bride's sister, Miss Sophronia Westervelt Clark, was the maid of honor. There were no bridesmable. Mr. Livingston Trudeau. Dr. Max Collins, Mr. Henry Skillman, Mr. J. Nelson Waterbury, Jr., Mr. Theodore C. Mitchell, and the bride's brother, Mr. F. Westervelt Clark, were the ushers. Dr. J. Cliffon Edgar served as best man.

A large reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, 150 West Seventy-third street.

A wedding attended by the fashionable people of Harlem was celebrated at 8:30 o'clock last night in St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal Church, Fifth avenue and 127th street. The bride was Miss Ethel Walton Howe, eldest daughter of Mr. Samuel Osear Howe, and the bridegroom, Mr. George Hawthorne Smith. A pretty feature of the bridal procession was the appearance of the young twin sisters of the bride in pretty dresses of white and pink. Before them walked the maid of honor. Miss Amy Howe, sister of the bride, and the two bridesmaids. Miss Adelaide Bush of Brooklyn and Miss Mabel W. Grant of Chicago, a cousin

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Mr. Charles Bogart was the best man. The ushers were: Mr. Chester Coigate of Englewood, N. J. Mr. Alexander Mercer, Mr. Frank Mirick, and Mr. Webster Thomas of this city, Mr. Fiacel Scott Mines and Mr. George Van Ness of Brocking. A large reception followed the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howe, 45 West 126th street,

Arguimban-Piton.

Miss Jane Josephine Pitou, daughter of Eugene Piteu of the Petroleum Exchange, was married on Wednesday evening at the Church of the Transfiguration. Brooklyn, to Daniel Vincent Arguimbau. The Rev. Father Kiely offlciated. The bride was attired in white eatin. embroidered in silver and pearl, and trimmed with point lace. The bridesmalds were Miss



A SPOONFUL of Royal will go furbaking powder because it is the purest.

Highest of all in leavening strength. -United States Gov't Food Report.

Sarah Kelley, Miss Amio Kelley, Miss Minnie Pitou, and Miss Caroline Pitou. They all wors Empire gowns of rink and white silk. The maid of honor, Miss Nora Pitou, wore an Empire gown of pink satin duchesse. Harry Leonard was the groomsman, and Messrs, John Dunbar, Walter Burke, Samuel Seymour, and Arthur Boucher were the ushers. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of John C. Kelley, uncle of the bride, 247 Hancock street.

The Christmas Society Ball To-night. The ball of the Christmas Society will take place to-night in Madison Square Garden. It will be a novel entertainment in many repacts, and promises to be most successful. Dancing will be continued without intermission to music furnished alternately by Lander's and Gelsmann's bunds. There will be no promenade music. For the first time at a large function in New York supper will be served a la carte. The list of box holders, it is said, contains the names of more representative society people than any similar list in several seasons.

THE TWIN-SCREW TAURIO IS LATE.

Three Days a Good Deal to Lose Even if Race Horses Must Be Treated Tenderly. The twin-screw steamship Tauric, one of the crack freighters of the White Starline, is make ing an unusually slow voyage from Liverpool. whence she sailed at 7:30 P. M. on Jan. 27. She finished her last trip to this port, in rough December weather, in eleven days. She was ten days on her last trip to Liverpool. Her agents here confidently expected her to show up off Sandy Hook on Wednesday last. They

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She has among her cargo, in padded stallative of the English race horses of Col. J. T. North, the nitrate king, which are entered in the Suburban. Metropolitan, and other handicaps of the season. The racers are High Commissioner, Iddesleigh, Arturo, Miss Simon, and Rough and Roady. It was said at the office of the White Star line that Capt. Ward of the Tauric was going slow, very likely, in order not to endanger the lives of the horses. There are also a hackney stallion and thirty-one sheep aboard the Tauric.

The hreaking of one of the Tauric's shefts or the derangement of one set of her engines need not materially affect the Tauric's speed, as she can make three-quarters time under the other set. Naturally the White Star experts here do not consider it probable that both sets of the Tauric's engines have become deranged. But there will be reason to think, if she is not sighted to-day, that something more than boisterous weather is responsible for her protracted trip.

Pive Months Out and Not Heard From. The big iron four-masted ship Leicester Castle, which salled from this port for Rangoon on Aug. 5, has not been heard from since. and it is feared that she has mot disaster. She was laden with 78,500 cases of petroleum shipped by Ralli Bros. Mr. Maitland Reresy, her consignor here, says her hull was very foul and full of barnarles when she sailed, and to this he is inclined to attribute her slow voyage. She ought to have been at Rangoon a month ago.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Elihu George Cook, the venerable homosopathic physician, died on Wednesday morning in his apartments at the Aberdeen, 917 Broadway, in the seventy-sixth year of his age. The immediate cause of his death was an operation for calculus. Dr. Cook was born on April 20, 1817, in Oneida county, and had practised his profession forty-five years. He medical studies at the New York University under Dr. Valentine Mott, and also witnessed the first experiment made in New York with the new annesthetic, chloroform. In 1843 he married Susan B., daughter of the late Stephen Putnam of Chautauqua county. He was converted to the doctrines of Hahnemann by the homotopathic cure of his wife after her life had been despaired of. He was an uncompromis-ing abolitionist, and during the ante-bellum excitement his life was repeatedly threatened. Afterward he became a Benedition, and he took the Tribune from its first number until his death except when Horace Greelev was running for the Presidency against Gen. Grant. He leaves a wife and three grown children, a son and two daughters.

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Mrs. Annie L. Angier, wife of the venerable Rev. I. H. Angier of Boston, died yestorday. Mrs. Angier was born in Norwich, Conn. in 1816. She was the seventh and youngest daughter and the last of the immediate family of the late Hon, James Lanman. United States Senator from Connecticut, who served during the Administration of President Monroes, and who at one time was Judge of the Supreme Court of Connecticut. A sister of Mrs. Angier was the first wife of the Hon. Lafayette Foster, United States Senator from Connecticut. Mrs. Angier was married in 1830 to the lev. L. H. Angier, then a recent graduate of the New York Theological Seminary and pastor-cicet of the Presbyterian Church in Buffalo, N. Y. After severing his connection with the church in Buffalo, Mr. Angier became pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian Church in South Roston.

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Mary A. Thorne died early vesterday morning at her home, 127 West Fifteenth street, at the age of the She was born in this city, and nearly all her life was a member of St. Paul's Chapel, at Broadway and Vesey street. She was descended from William Thorne, who came to Lyan, Mass, from England in 1638, and her grandlather was Major Bichard Thorne, a Revolutionary patriot, who was imprisoned in this city by the British. On her mother's side she was of Dutch extraction, Her great grandfather, Henry Wisner, was a member of the Continental Congress, and voted for the backaration of Independence, and her grandlather, Licut, 4 to, Gabriel Wisner, lost his life at the age of 20 in the battle of the Minisink Orange county, during the Revolution. Miss Thorne survived all her immediate family except a sister.

Major Richard Bandolph of Baltimore died in that city yesterday while reading in the Mercantile Library, Major Handolph several years ago had charge of the engineering work on the Valley and Metropolitan branches of the Baltimore and Ohio lialiway. He had charge of the construction of the Baltimore and Ohio, Ho was then made counciling engineer.

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Lyman W. Coe. President and organizer of the Coe Brass Company in Torrington, Conn., died vesterday at his home of neuralgia of the heart, aged 73. Mr. Coe had served the town in the Legislature in both Houses six terms, in 1881 being elected President of the Senate. Part of his life was spent in Waterbury, where he organized the Coe Brass Company, the largest concern of its kind in the world.

John F. MeCarthy, M. P. for Middle Tipperary, is dead. He was a provision merchant, was born in 1882, and unmarried. He had taken an active part in politics for a number of years, and was elected in July last as an Anti-Parnellite, receiving 3,234 votes to 887 for M. Conway, Parnellite, and 340 for Heaton Armstrong, Conservative.

Miss Elizabeth Gummers Parker, the eldest daughter of the late Loe Parker, died yesterday at the homestead in Freehold, N. J. Her age was 4. She had been prominent in church was for many years. She died of pneumonia after an illness of three days.

Dantel Rowell died on Tuesday at his home, 218 Levington avenue, Brooklyn, in his Osth year. For the rast thirteen years he had been the general superintendent of the Astor estate in the selly.

The Hoe. Louis F. Martin, ex-Congressman from the First Louisiana district, died at his re-idence in New Orleans yesterday morning, aged 72.

